they consider is a desecration.

orell was talked of by a number

will have no hard feelings. Other citi-zens have been talked of in connection

THE CANNING CLUBS

clubs in Yorkville on April 18, the oc-

membership of each:

1. Brown Rural School Club.

Thomas, Rock Hill, No. 1; Maggie Wilkerson, Rock Hill, No. 6; Mary

Wilkerson, Rock Hill, No. 6. 2. Tirzah Club.—Mattie B. Camp

bell. Tirzah: Leila Garrison, Tirzah

5. McConnellsville Club.-Aggie La

Ashe, McConnellsville, Lucile Craw-ford, Sue Crawford, Minnie Cockrell

6. Bethesda Club.-Corrinne Book

out, Maggie Caveny, Edith Faires, Florence Howell, Janie Johnson, Edna

Thomas, Viola Courtney, Rock Hill

Santiago Club.-Gladys Biggers

Bowling Green Club.-Fannie

Flannagan, Bowling Green; Grace, Howe, Lola Quinn, Martha Brandon

Gold Hill Club.-Clio

Mary Garrison, Fort Mill, No. 4: Win-

nie Crook, Fort Mill, No. 1. 12. Oak Ridge.—Kizzie Cornwell

ouise Faires, Stella Patterson, Rock

Scattered.-Margaret Clarke, York

ville R. F. D.; Jessie Darwin, Smyrns R. F. D.; Ethel Deas, Filbert; Margar-

sey, Hickory Grove; Clara Cherry, Mary McKibbon, Lillian Potts, Rock Hill; Alberta Garrison, Myrtle Hayes,

THE MARRIAGE RECORD

the following marriage licenses since

the publication in The Enquirer of Feb

Probate Judge Williams has issued

Feb. 23-Larkin K. Ratchford and

Feb. 24-William J. McKibbon and

Feb. 25-Thomas B. Brakefield and

Feb. 26-Sam Smith and Bessie Mea-

Feb. 26-Edley Gray and Mumzela

Feb. 28-Henry Wade and Janie

Feb. 28-Green Garrison and Caroline

Feb. 28-Julius Sanders and Hager

March 2-Lum Grayson and Bessie

March 3-George McClenehan and

Annie Berry (colored).

March 5-Will Hammong and Florry

March 6-Lester Shipp and Lillian

March 7-Frank Dillingham and Jes-

March 7-Smith Clemer and Bessie

March 7-Lucious Gray and Mary

March 7-Henry Morfort and Essie

March 7-Milus Joseph and Lizzie

March 8-Clarence S. McMurray and

March 9-Robie A. Bolick and Hattie

March 9-Harvey W. Mullis and Arry

right Vickory. March 10—George Jamison and Re-

ecca Hughes (colored). March 14—Will Biggers and Eliza

March 14-George L. Walters and

March 15-Ellis Allbran and Emily

March 21-Joe Williams and Edner

Feb. 24-Sigford R. Love and Vir

Annie Reece Quinn, Clover, No. 2.

Foster, Ella Mae Jones

Club.-Mamie Jones

Bailes

No. 1; Mary Huey, Bertha Duncan Rock Hill, No. 5; Leila Christenbury

Mary Biggers, King's Creek, No. 2 Armand Bolin, Sudie Bolin, Smyrna

No. 2; Winnie Brown, Beaulah Groves

Loreen Wylie, Hickory Grove. 9. Hopewell Club.—Mamie Jones Clemmie Pursley, Hannah Stephenson

Lucy Stephenson, Hickory

Jackson, Guthriesville, No. 1.

Yorkville, No. 3.

Foster, Mable

Rock Hill, No. 4.

Hattle May Glasscock

Mary Alice Childers.

Dasy A. Johnson.

cham (colored).

indsay

sie Bennett.

Love (colored)

Walker (colored)

Mary Orr Flowers.

(colored).

loore (colored)

Hart (colored)

Russell (colored).

Bannah Mae Comer.

Hinton (colored)

Brown (colored).

ie Bell Bailey (colored).

Lillian Carter.

April

Wright.

March

Mary Estelle Roberts.

King (colored).

Ward.

'arswell.

Adams (colored).

Shannon (colored).

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then.

## Scraps and facts.

- The women of Illinois voted the whisky question in Illinois last Tuesday and the understanding is twelve more counties that were wet have been added to the thirty that were dry. There are 217,614 women eligible to vote in the state and of these it is estimated that not more than 100,000 went to the polls. There are 455,283 male voters, and they went to the polls in about the same proportion as the women.

- Figures were made public Wednes day in a treasury department statement showing that customs revenue during the fiscal year which ends June 30, 1914, almost certainly will meet and probably will exceed the estimates the estimates made when congress passed the nev tariff law. The statement, prepared by Assistant Secretary Malburn, in charge "It was estimated that the receipts from customs for the fiscal year 1914 which included three months under the tariff act of 1909 and nine months under the present tariff act, approved October 3, 1913, would amount to \$270,000,000, resulting in a loss of \$49,000,000 from the customs receipts of the previous year. The total customs collections for the nine months just ended amounted to \$225,500,000 showing a loss for the nine months' period of \$24,750,000, compared with the collections for the same period during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1913. As this loss is only one-half of the estiloss for the whole year, it is probable that the receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1914, will exceed the estimate.

- Birmingham, Ala., April 7: Oscar W. Underwood, for nearly 20 years representative from the Ninth Alabama district in the lower house of congress swept the state in his battle with Congressman Richmond P. Hobson for nomination to the United States senate. according to tonight's return from yes terday's Democratic primary. Mr. Hobson conceded the victory to his rival candidate before noon today, although returns still were incomplete tonight Mr. Underwood's nomination terminated one of the most spectacular political contests in the history of the state the exception of a whirl-wind speaking tour during the Christmas the successful candidate campaign was conducted by his friends. One of the chief claims for recognition of their candidate advanced by Mr. lerwood's friends was the charge that Representative Hobson was neglecting his duties as a congressman to conduct the campaign. Mr. Hobson en-tered the senatorial race nearly two He visited nearly every county and town in the state. In stump speeches he charged his opponent with having been influenced by the "liquor interests." He also charged that corinfluence was behind the campaign of Mr. Underwood for the presidential nomination in 1912. charges were denied by Mr. Underwood, Hobson sent Underwood a telegram of congratulation before noon today, and gave out a statement in which he said that the prohibition fight was only just -On getting possession of Torreo

and Chihuahua, Gens. Carranza and Villa issued orders for the expulsion of all Spanish citizens, and Spaniards were run out of the country in short order. The understanding is representations to the rebel leaders; but Carranza and Villa remain firm. It is learned from an authorative source that Gen. Carranza and Gen. Villa are in thorough accord on the subject and all the Spanish subjects throughout the republic of Mexico. wherever the constitutionalists gain and Chihuahua. George C. Carothers is known to have talked with Carranza on the Spanish question at Juarez, on Wednesday. The conference lasted a half hour. When Carothers emerged he rushed to his automobile and refused to answer questions of inquirers. The purport of the conference leaked out through ources which hitherto have proved It was said Carothers informed Carranza that summary expulsion of the Spaniards was considered gravely at Madrid and without at Washington. The general replied that evidence of Spanish conspiracy against the revolution was overwhelming in all parts of the country, that their expulsion was not only just but the part of wisdom. The policy of expulsion includes all who are naturalized Mexicans are not embraced in the general order.

- The guillotine has made its appear ance in Mexico, says a Juarez dispatch and a new form of execution confront enemies of the constitutionalists in San Luis Potosi. At Conception del Oro a has been erected by rebe mechanics in the corps commanded by General Eulacio Gutierrez, who is here conferring with General Carranza. Al-ready the new instrument has been tested and the general says "it works splendidly." The test was made with a lamp as the victim. Desire for revenge is responsible for the appearance of the guillotine in Mexico. General Gutierrez's brother-in-law, Jose Morales, was killed some time ago in a battle against The family the federals near Saltillo. of Morales, including an infant daughter and Guiterrez's sister, were living The Federal commander arrested the relatives of Gutierrez. placed them aboard a troop train and sent them to San Luis Potosi. The baby died of exposure on the way and noth ing is known of the fate of other mem-From stories told bers of the family. by rebels, this is only one of the many cases where the women and children of rebel officers have been taken from Saltillo by the federals and sent to oth-er cities and to supposedly horrible fates. It is said that in some cases the women have been given to federal sol-diers. General Gutierrez says he will leave Juarez in two or three days to rekilometers of the capital of that state are under arms in the state and I can send them all against the city. And when I have taken it I hope to find my - El Paso, Texas, April 8: Eight

hundred members of the Torreon Spanish colony, expelled by Gen. Villa, found a haven in the United States today. They have been stripped of their property temporarily at least, but supplied with temporary funds. They had refused to leave the train in which until American Torreon to Juarez Consular Agent Carothers arrived to advise them. Carothers was unable to assure any that they would be restorto their homes, his interview with Gen. Caranrza, yesterday having met with the flat statement that expulsion of Spaniards from Mexico was a settled policy of the rebels and would be modified only in the cases of individuals who had not been involved in pol-form. "We have money enough the present," said Joaquin Fernandez, an exile. "Some of us will return to Spain; many will go to Mexico City and others to the United States and Europe." "Did Villa tell you specifi-cally that Spanish property would be he was asked. confiscated? specifically," he replied, "but that is pretty well taken for granted in Mexico. I have personal knowledge that no one in this party did anything inimi-cal to the rebel cause. We are not reb-els or Huertistas. Mexico is our home and we can not but hope that some tay we will be left to dwell in peace and security there." Rafael Arozena, wealthiest resident of the Laguna district and reported to be the most extensive grower of sea island cotton in second class coach, with only his per-sonal possessions to show for his life-time of struggle in the Coahuila cotton country. Arozena is to the Coahuila Spanish colony what Luis Terrazas is the Chihuahua refugee colony of He is the leader in commercial activities of the Laguna district, owns a number of the largest aciendas in the district and his wealth is estimated at \$17,000,000 Mexican currency. Arozena carried today only a leather satchel, a big steamer rug and a bag filled with his personal be-

all in the Laguna district," he said. "I took a the Spaniards was cotton said to be at \$15,000,000. Word was received from Torreon today that \$1, their cotton back is in a court of equi ty in case the consignment is released pects facts from Mr. Burnsfrom bond in the United States, ments, inferences, speculation Among the refugees today were three

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YORKVILLE, S. C.: FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 1914.

What has become of the old tim first day of May picnic? It seems to have about gone out of fashion.

The navy is said to be very much stirred up over the order of Secretary Daniels which cuts off its grog. The statement is not at all incredible, for who would not be stirred up?

Notwithstanding the fact that York county is supposed to be free from cattle ticks, it is worth while to keep sharp lookout. It would be too bad and too expensive to let the ticks get an ther start in this section.

It is reported that Secretary Daniels s willing to modify his order against liquor drinking to the extent that he To the People of South Carolina: is willing to allow the officers to indulge slightly at certain social receptions and the like.

There are too many unnecessary sit tings of the circuit court in York county, and the expense to the tax-payers is too great. Careful calculation will that their property is to be confiscated. Spain has raised a protest and it show that all the work that is done is reported that Washington has made could easily be done in 25 days less time than is provided.

The reason York county has so many names on the pension list in proportion to population is, of course, because she had the soldiers in the war. York was control, will be treated as at Torreon in evidence from 1861 to 1865 as she Believing in true Democracy, when and Chihuahua. George C. Carothers has been ever since. has been ever since.

> We believe that most of the readers of The Enquirer go to church pretty nearly every Sunday. We wish all of them who can go next Sunday would go.

Everybody who has reasonable intel ligence ought to know that the browbeater in whatever line, is only a con temptible cowardly bully, who is not even entitled to ordinary respect to say Spanish subjects in Mexico. Spaniards nothing of obedience. The man who freight discrimination against South resorts to convincing logic, or even persuasive argument is far superior to the brow-beater.

> next Sunday will get some good out of tion to the source of their income. it. There is no better way to spend an hour of the morning or the evening. Oh, yes, there are hypocrites at church, but even they stand a good chance of need not interfere with benefits that perity.

gument that enlisted men in the nav have as much right to their wines and liquors as the officers. That is not the way the proposition strikes us. Of course, if it is a question of right, the enlisted men should have just as much right as the officer. But in our view. neither the enlisted man or the office has any business with liquor on shipboard to say nothing of other places.

It is real funny now to observe how many little office holders in this section who were Bleaseites to the Bleaseites, sume his campaign against San Luis to protest their past, present and future loyalty to everybody and everyand I expect to capture the place this thing. The people, however, learn more time" he said. "Fourteen thousand men and more every day, and if there is one thing they are disgusted with more than another, it is the fellow who when I have taken it I hope to find my sister and her family. If they have been changes his principles overnight for farmers of the state for rural credits mistreated the guillotine is ready for the purpose of getting the votes necessary to remain in an office he is not fit to fill.

the members of the Baltimore convention to learn whether or not they real ly stand behind the plank of the plathey and their baggage had come from form that declares for exemption of American ships from Panama canal tolls. Quite a number of delegates have tolls. Quite a number of delegates have tion provision of the Panama cans answered Senator Gore and most of act began yesterday on the senate sid them are backing up the president in his position. It is evidently a fact that but few of the delegates to the Baltibut few of the delegates to the Balti-more convention knew even that the measures dealing with the question

They have been wrangling in the house for some days over the selection by the regional reserve organization committee of Richmond over Balti-"Not more and of Atlanta over New Orleans. Partisans of Richmond said that Richmond is a much wealthier city than either New Orleans or Baltimore and that Baltimore owes Rich mand a great deal more money than Richmond owes Baltimore. It was claimed by Mr. Glass that Richmond with a population of only 124,000 has double the amount of loans in the world, was one of the Spanish re- south, of New Orleans with 400,000 fugees who rode to the border in a population. The probability seems to be that the wrangle is going to be protracted almost indefinitely.

We must confess to our distinct feeling of disappointment in William J Burns, the world's alleged greatest living detective, since he came into the case of Leo M. Frank, under sentence during the next day or two. The com-of death for the murder of Mary Pha-gan. It may be that Mr. Burns will yet proposal to call former Secretary of make good in this case and certainly state Knox and other off solve the mystery of the murder of the with the canal situation. longings which he hastily gathered when the order was given by Villa for the Spaniards to leave the country. The Spaniards to leave the country.

gold rimmed glasses over which he has been engaged in the investigation. From the outset he seems to have questions of reporters. "I am alone. aimed to lay the foundations and build My relatives and my possessions are up a case through the newspapers. He "I took great pains to impress upon that he was in the case-had had no part in the internal politics of the country. For that reason I prefer not to say anything for fear it will be not to say anything for fear it will be misunderstood. I was not mistreated by any one at Torreon and have no plans for the immediate present." The most important property left behind the Spaniards was cotton said to be Frank's friends to be carried out in Frank's friends to be carried out in perfect good faith by Mr. Burns-but nobody will believe it and it should b 000,000 worth of cotton was being immaterial whether any one believed i oaded on trains for shipment to El or not. If Mr. Burns knows the mur raso by Villa. It is said the Spanish owners can not touch the property if it arrives here in bond, as is frequently the case. If it comes bonded for transit through the United States for shipment abroad it can not be recovered, it is said. It is said the only way the original. shipment abroad it can not be recov-ered, it is said. It is said the only way the original owners have of getting make what his understanding with Frank's friends was? The public exments, inferences, speculations and de ductions. Surely there are enough law yers employed in the case as it is, and every one will agree that they have fully covered and exhausted every scin-

tilla of a suggestion for an argument. Columbia Record. As to whether Frank is really guilty or not, we do not know; but we would want something better on which to base an opinion than the uncorroborated statement of Wm. J. Burns. This man got a national reputation as the esult of success in collecting evidence in connection with the operations of the dynamite conspirators who overreached themselves in the Los Angeles Times affair. The importance of Mr. Burns was very much emphasized because of the world-wide horror over that awful crime. But since then, Mr. Burns has been showing up in his true character, as a bumptious four-flusher with the no limit to his gall, and many newspapers and people are coming to take his simple statements as of more weight than the verdict of petit jury. That statement attributed to Burns to the effect that "I know where the murderer is and can lay my hands on him at any minute and he does not even know he is under suspicion," seems to cap the climax. If Burns knows the man why does he no come out with it?

## C. A. SMITH'S PLATFORM

Stands for a Vote on the Question Outlawing Liquor. Lieutenant Governor Smith of Tim

monsville, has given out the following as the platform on which he proposes to run for governor:

Four years ago and again two years ago you elected me lieutenant governor of our state. My promise was to maintain the high standards of my predecessors in office, and by no word or deed bring discredit to those who chose me. Has this promise been kept? I am now a candidate for governo

and ask continuance of your confidence and suffrages. Am I worthy of promotion? Will the interests of the people be safe in my hands? present herewith, in brief, my platform. After all, a man's life and character best indicate his platform question, good citizens sink their inanother dividual preferences until Among all the readers of The En-quirer we doubt as to whether there is believe I am the logical candidate and er this year than usual; but there is no Anna a single one who cannot reach a church spring entitled to your consideration. I denying the fact that they are doing Falls, King's Creek, within five miles of his or her home. Recommendation of their heat to get there from the hegin.

to your wishes and faithful service to the state. I stand for economy in govern No extravagance. No wast of the people's money. No appropri ations beyond the state's income. increased taxation, except as towns, townships or counties vote special levies for schools or local necessities A business system that will economical expenditure of appropria-

I favor a flat 2-cent passenger fare on our railroad systems and Carolina points as compared with ad-joining states. The railroads have large share in the prosperity that has come to the state, and d Every individual who goes to church show proper appreciation of obliga-I favor the submission by the leg

islature to the voters of the state of the question of outlawing the sale of intoxicants within its borders; a meas ure which would insure the benefits took the papers of the Webb law, uplift public an automobile; being benefited, and their presence morals and promote temporal pros-

I favor legislation that there may be no discrimination against the man for violation of the criminal law For the same offense one man pays fine within his means and goes free another because of inability goes to the chaingang or penitentiary I favor proper legislation to secure honesty and freedom in elections; but am opposed to any qualification that eprive an honest white citizen of their right of ballot.

I believe implicitly in an educated citizenship and in placing adequate Jas. G. Beckham, facilities within the reach of a ris- S. C. Wood, ing generation; believe that the compulsion of love and pride and public opinion will as rapidly banish ilopinion will as rapidly banish il-literacy as mandatory legislation, and J. F. McElwee, compulsory education only M. E. Plaxico, am for should the people so declare after the submission of the question to their suffrages. I believe as a matter of econom

and public interest in a restriction of local and special legislation by the general assembly, that more time may be devoted to matters of state-wide importance. believe earnest consideration

should be given the demands of th ucation in our public schools. I stand loyal to Democracy, which means government by all the people for the best interests of all the peo Senator Gore of Oklahoma, is writing ple, and not government of the man by a preferred class.

Charles A. Smith

Tolls Hearing Opened Yesterday.-Formal consideration of the adminis tration bill to repeal the tolls exemp of the capitol with hearings before the inter-oceanic canals committee continue fifteen days. Senators who will be heard first, and they will be followed by representatives of com mercial organizations of the Pacifi oast and gulf states.

While the committee preparations were under way Wednesday, preliminary debate on the tolls occupied the greater part of the session in the senate, where Senator Works of Californate, where Senator Works of Californate was senatured. nia, held the floor for hours, conclus ing his analysis of the treaties involv ed, and his argument opposing the re peal. Asserting that the United States had the right under the treaty to pre scribe such tolls as it sees fit for its own vessels, Senator Works vigorously criticized the position taken by the

"I think," he said, "that the presi

dent deserves to be commiserated for having taken on himsel; this terrible responsibility. If we are to make this sacrifice and surrender our rights and our sovereignty over the canal the president alone will be responsible Without his insistence and influence this repeal would never have been passed by either house of congress. Senators Owens, Norris, Chilton Lewis, Reed, Fall, Weeks, Thomas Chilton. Newlands and Root, who have introduced tolls bills or resolutions, will appear before the canals committee State Knox and other officials familiar

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS lock Furniture Co.—Is showing a big line of go-carts in a variety of good styles and would be glad to show

. Lawrence & Co., Chicago-Tell of the merits of "Gets-It" as a cure for troublesome corns on the feet. arroll Bros .- Want to supply you with Nancy Hall seed sweet potatoes for bedding. acConnell Dry Goods Co.-Offers lot of \$8.50 silk dresses at \$3.98

\$1.25 a pair.

ork Drug Store-Wants you to remember that it has a supply of Huyler's, Nunnally's and Lowney's candies for its Easter trade. B. Lowry-Wants to buy 25 to 50 head heifers, 6 to 12 months old, at best market prices. Yorkville Bargain House—On page gives a list of special items now be-

White oxfords at 98 cts, to

ing offered in its Easter bargain carnival.

Thomson Co.—Invites special attention to clothing for boys; oxfords for children; millinery and ribbons, and a big line of parasols. Kirkpatrick-Belk Co.—Is showing a complete line of ready-to-wear garments of all kinds for ladies and for children. Men's and boys' spring

clothing. cloud Cash Store—Calls special attention to its line of spring clothes for and offers special values in class clothing, furnishings, etc. V. R. Carroll-Wants to supply you bedding.

arroll Furniture Co.—Will be pleased to show you the newest things in furniture. A nice line of go-carts. New tires put on old carts. First National Bank, Sharon-Invites you to bring your banking questions to it when you don't quite understand a banking proposition. yric Theatre—Announces the coming of "The Finger Prints," the third in the sensational Fatomas series-six reels of the next one next Friday. orkville Hardware Co.-Is prepared to supply you with awnings and

tents in any size and on short noouis Roth-Will have roe shad today and tomorrow, 75c. C. Wilborn-Is announced as a candidate for the office of mayor of the town of Yorkville. G. A. Turner and S. W. Thomas,

Admrs .- Give notice to debtors and creditors of estate of G. R. Turner. deceased. First National Bank, Yorkvillepecially invites the accounts of the man whose deposits are smallaccounts will grow and it will help. Royal Pressing Club—Solicits cleaning, mending, pressing and dyeing work for gentlemen and ladies.

It is a settled fact that the new coun y home shall be only one story high. The Rock Hill Herald reports that Cansler of Tirzah, will certainly be in the race for railroad commissioner. Mr. Cansler has the record of having received more votes for the office than any other man who ever stood for it.

The weather department gave out information Wednesday of a cold wave that was coming down from Alaska for Easter, and the cold wave Julia Love, Alda Lee Mendenhall, Ef fie Mickle, McConnellsville; Louis Crawford, Yorkville, No. 3; Annie M was here by the time the information was announced in the papers.

There was some talk some time ago to the effect that the Southern railway was going to put some better coaches on the Marion and Kingville division; but up to this time there have been no signs of improvement. It would hardly be correct to say that the farmers are working any hard-

ning. While it has been shown time an again that organization of the precinct clubs and the county convention does not necessarily mean a majority in the primary, it is best for the majority sentiment to organize the clubs and the county convention if it can. The Demcratic club meetings are to be held on April 25, and the members of the clubs are entitled to due notice of the time

and place. A subscriber to The Enquirer complains of the failure of The Enquirer o arrive at Filbert on last Wednesday morning, and upon inquiry at et Sherrer, Sharon No. 2; Bessie Ram the postoffice at Yorkville, it develops that in the dispatching of the mails, the Filbert bundle was overlooked. The same thing happened a few weeks ago, and Miss Moore, the postmaster took the papers to Filbert by means of an automobile; but was unable to get to the postoffice before the departure of the rural carrier

MUNICIPAL REGISTRATION

Up to yesterday afternoon, 177 voters had qualified themselves for participation in the elections to be held n the town during the next two years. Following are the names of the voters who have qualified themselves since the publication of the list last Tuesday:

I. M. Williford. P. Morrison C. W. Carroll, M. L. Carroll, B. R. T. Bowen, M. McNeel, J. M. Starr.

ABOUT PEOPLE Miss Macie Hagans of Clover, is vis-

iting friends in Gastonia. Dr. B. G. Black is quite ill at ome of his father, Dr. John G. Black, at Blacksburg. Misses Mattie and Maud Smith Hickory Grove, are visiting relatives

n Yorkville. Mr. T. H. White of Chester, pending today in Yorkville with his brother, Dr. M. W. White. Mr. P. B. Comer, of Winston-Salen

visited relatives in Yorkville nd Sharon, this week. Miss Fannie Stroup of the Presbyerian college, Charlotte, arrived orkville, yesterday to spend Easter vith her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. stroup.

Henning Adickes of the Yorkville raded school, went to Clinton yester-ay where he will represent the Yorkille school in a declamation contest pen to all South Carolina graded Yorkville people will regret to learn

the death of Miss Anna Lucy hurston, which occurred at Atlantic ity, N. J., last Tuesday. Miss Thurs on was a native of Pittsburg, Pa., and or several years past had been spending the winters in Yorkville

-There was a slight fall of sleet

luring yesterday morning. - The free light and free water grab s an unlawful imposition on every citzen of Yorkville, and especially upon the patrons of the water, light and Bell Locke. power department.

gressing very nicely, notwithstanding the fact that the farmers are so busy Many ladies are managing to come in from the country anyway. - Revs. Henry Stokes and J. L. Oates

-The spring trade seems to be pro

organized a night school with fifteen members at the Ancona mill, last Tuesday night. It is their purpose to put in two weeks or such a matter in an ef-fort to establish the institution on a April 1—Franklin R. Barber and Anfort to establish the institution on a permanent basis. It is expected that the school will be supported by the oupils in whose interest it is to be con- Nabors. Interest has been increasing during the week.

April 7-Will Mohead and Roxana The annual Easter egg hunt which Green (colored). April 8-Frank Gibson and Bertha has heretofore been held today, Fri-Telegrams were sent today to a number of organizations and individuals, chiefly on the Pacific coast, who uals, chiefly on the Pacific coast, who been postponed by Supt. Witherspoon, April 8—James H. McArter and Alice Anderson. the Spaniards to leave the country. The man's methods have been so unlooking man with a heavy white beard, a shock of white hair and a pair of April 8-Roy W. Stewart and Bessie church of the Good Shepherd, until May Clay.

SCHOOL DAY EXERCISES next Monday. The Episcopalians re

There is to be a rally of the canning eaten on the grounds-picnic style

gard Good Friday as a day that should be observed with much solemnity, and Superintendent of Education Car roll has prepared a leaflet containing to have Easter egg hunts on that day the following information with refer ence to the school day exercises to b -So far three citizens are being held in Yorkville, on Saturday, Apri pretty seriously considered by the voters of Yorkville for mayor. These are

At a recent meeting of a few of th Dr. R. A. Bratton, Mr. J. C. Wilborn and Mr. W. M. McConnell. The underprominent school men of the county, it was decided to hold a school rally standing is that Mr. J. E. Hart has and field day exercises in Yorkville, or practically withdrawn. Mr. J. S. Mackperintendent was requested to give the people, but has discouraged the talk Mr. McConnell is being strongly urged ecessary publicity.
It was also decided by the Executive committee to hold the regular meet

to enter the race, but has not yet given his consent. Mr. Wilborn is announc-ed today, and there is every reason to ing of the Teachers' Association on the same date. believe that he will be in the race to The schools will assemble at the Graded School building promptly at the end. Dr. Bratton, who was an nounced Tuesday, by friends, said to 10.30 a. m. day that he had not thought about the The declamation and recitation con matter until friends began to urge upon him, and while he does not hav tests will be open to all grades above the 7th and not more than one boy any special desire for the place, if the people want him he will do the best he and one girl may enter from any one

can, and if they do not want him he school. In the oral spelling match each school may enter one representative At the conclusion of the spelling match the Teachers' Association will with the office: but the three named are easily the most prominent. It is a match the Teachers' Association will month, however, before the election be called to order and after a short and many things can develop before address will be open for the transaction of business, including the election of officers.

The various schools will bring their

lunches with them, and dinner will b

either by schools or in such convent

casion of the field day exercises, and teachers and pupils. it is expected that every member of If time permits at the lunch hour with Nancy Hall seed potatoes for the club who can do so will attend and parade of the children to the cour bring lunch. The organization will be house and return will be arranged. bring lunch. The organization will be In the afternoon in addition to the completed, and the members will be athletics there will be contests in map instructed in their work by addresses drawing, written spelling and lette from Miss Parrott, state organizer and writing, open to all the schools others and by the distribution of booklets, bulletins and receipts, and the doors will be closed promptly

> paratus, approved cans, fruit jars, etc. Miss Minnie Garrison, the county or-There will be two prizes-one to the school making the greatest number o ganizer, advises The Enquirer that a record of the meeting will be kept, and points in the athletic contests, and the other to the school making the bes those who attend will receive due showing in the other contests. Teachers are requested to bring their entire schools, if possible, and credit for such attendance in the year's work. Also Miss Garrison reto notify the County Superintendent o quests that the members bring lunch. the number likely to come. The lis Following is a list of the clubs as they of entries for the several events should now stand, together with the enrolled

> 1. Brown Rural School Club.—Wil-ma Bartha, Rock Hill, No. 6; Nellie M. Blenke, Book Hill, No. 6; Nellie the children. Programme. 10.30-11.30:-

Opening exercises. Declamation. Pearle Shillinglaw, Yorkville, No. 7; Carrie Youngblood, Tirzah. 3. Forest Hill Club.—Clara Mason Recitation. Spelling match. Bigger, Yorkville, No. 8; Mary Cullender, Clover, No. 3; Ethel Ferguson; Yorkville, No. 8; Florence Meek, Clover, No. 3; Pearl Meek, Clover, No. 3. 1.45-12.30:-12 30-2.00:ver, No. 3; Pearl Meek, Clover, No. 3.

4. Mt. Holly Club.—Mattle Mae
Caldwell, Rock Hill, No. 2; Kathleen
Clinton, Edgemoor, No. 1; Evelyn
Garrison, Edgemoor, No. 1; Lillian
Oates, Rock Hill, No. 2; Davega Peay,
Edgemoor, No. 1; Ethel Whitesell,
Rock Hill, No. 5.

5. McCannelleville, Club — Aggle Lock Recess. Athletic Contests

Relay race (four boys from school contesting). Baseball throw for boys. Baseball throw for girls.

school). Basket ball for girls-games to b arranged. 30-3.00:-Written spelling-25 words-4th

LOCAL LACONICS

White, Yorkville, No. 1; Veda on his farm last Sunday evening. He went into the barnyard as down at the first onrush; but was able to seize the ring in the animal's nose and protect himself to some extent ter than the average condition o while Mr. Thomas Devinney secured his release by firing several shots from a revolver into the infuriated animal. Mr. Fennell was so badly bruised that he had to take his bed.

> of energy, fine intelligence and high establishing himself on a basis of a wholesome interest in public affairs, and had quite decided opinions as to men and things. He was a member of the St. John's Methodist church at ed gratification was felt by administration officials here today at the son and one daughter, Mr. Clarence

County Borrows Money. March 21-Fate Ellis and Susie Bak-The county board of commissioner March 21-Clff Lawrence and Marie on Thursday opened bids of four York county banks for the loan of \$30,000 March 23-Alford Barnett and Janie for the ordinary county expenses and March 23-John Lowry and Lillian \$16,000 for the new county home. The bidders were the First National Bank March 24-John Robinson and Annie of Yorkville; Loan and Savings Bank March 26-William A. Hall and Alice March 27-Cordy Clark and Maggie Rock Hill. The bids of the People's National Bank of Rock Hill were ac-27-Barnett Brackett and cepted-5 per cent for the \$30,000 and March 27—James Barnes and Lillie Burris (colored). 41 for the county home money. All the bids were made on a basis of the March 28-Will Wright and Julia Bo-March 28-Will Lowry and Sarah bank making the loan until used. The probability of the money for the coun-March 31-James R. Warmoth and ty home being kept on deposit for a March 31-Coleman Hill and Martha longer time, makes the rate of interest to the county low. The clerk of the April 1-Garfield Moore and Clercy board was asked for information as to strict enforcement of the laws are his Japan as a world power. Haruko was all the bids: but she advised the reporter that she had been instructed 4-Willie Jordan and Lillie not to give out information except as to the bid of the successful bidder. April 6-Claud Hinson and Mattie

Fort Mill Votes Water Bonds. Fort Mill Times, Thursday: That a very large per cent of the citizens of his

agitating the system, succeeded in interesting several citizens in the watervorks and a petition asking for the election on the question was signed by the required number of free-holders and of Conway, has dug some new Irish presented to council. The election was duly ordered and Friday when the votes are somewhat small-er than a hen egg. 64 voters who had cast ballots 53 favored the system while 11 were opposed to it. The total vote cast Friday represented only about one-fifth of the

the exhibition fruit jars, canning ap- at the appointed hour. be sent in not later than April 15th. Trustees and patrons are especially requested to come along and help

M. Blanks, Rock Hill, No. 4; Bonnie Sanders, Rock Hill, No. 6; John Finley The public generally is cordially invited to attend the exercises

Meeting of Teachers' Association

.00-4.00:-100 yard dash (one entry). 220 yard dash (one entry).

Tug-of-war (four boys from each

grade pupils.

Drawing map of South Carolina-5th and 6th grades. Pest map York County-7th grade

Adventure With Vicious Bull. Mr. C. A. Fennell, superintendent of

Death of B. F. Merritt. Mr. B. F. Merritt. whose critical illness with pneumonia, was mentioned in The Enquirer of Tuesday, died on Wednesday. Mr. Merritt was born in given up as lost....Governor Glynn Mecklenburg county 57 years ago, and of New York, has refused to reprieve when about 25 years of age, moved to the four gunmen, Frank Cirofici, Harwhen about 25 years of age, moved to ry Harowitz, Louis Rosenberg and Ja-Fort Mill township. He afterward cob Seidenshner, convicted of the slay-bought a farm near Rock Hill, and although without means other than lots bler, and now awaiting execution a ambition, went to work and through he will not be a candidate for re-electhe industry and good management tion to the upper house of congress. of his wife and himself succeeded in Ex-Senator J. B. Foraker will be a establishing himself on a basis of pointed Arthur H. Woods, a former growing prosperity. Mr. Merritt took newspaper reporter, to be police com-

Hickory Grove. Mrs. John C. Jackson Dead. of Mr. John C. Jackson, died at her home in Yorkville, about 7 o'clock this morning following an illness of thirteen months with bronchitis and rheumatism. Mrs. Jackson's death was not unexpected, the family having some time ago been advised that she might was Miss Eliza Thomasson, was born was a constant attendant there until of the Panama railway rights. the following children: Messrs. A. M. ama railway, without any cha Jackson, Yorkville; P. A. Jackson, other than the cost of freight, Chester; J. Y. Jackson, Sumter; C. Q. Jackson, Grove City, Pa.; Mesdames Ada L. Thomasson, J. Q. Wray, York ville; Mrs. Delia Woods, Filbert. The through Colombia. interment will be in Rose Hill ceme terry tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, following funeral services conducted has been claimed by Panama. by Rev. J. H. Machen.

money being kept on deposit in the

Fort Mill feel the need of water for not protection from fire and for domestic

pon bonds in the sum of \$15,000 for this purpose. The movement for a water system began several months ago when the Times, after a number of articles as his assistant.

town's voting strength, but was about his age, what was expected by those who have kept tab on former special elections, At the election Friday a board of commis- L. & C. railway, for \$56,000, a Chester sioners of public works, whose duty it county jury has given the plaintiff a will be to negotiate the sale of the bonds and make all arrangements for the installation of the water system. was also elected. Quite a number of the town's citizens were voted for, but it was found that Messrs. W. B. Ardrey, J. J. Bailes and S. L. Meacham had received a larger number of votes than the others and they were declared elected. This commission will at once take up the matter of having the bonds made and placed on the market. The onds, it will be remembered, are to bear interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent and the board of commissioners anticipate little trouble in disposing of them

MERE-MENTION. Seven officers and ex-officers of the Sterling Debenture corporation, were onvicted in the Federal court of New York, Monday, of using the mails to defraud.....Newman Erb, president ba Darby. of several western railroads, figures that since the interstate commerce commission was given the power to fix railroad rates in 1906, the market value of railroad securities has declined three billion dollars, an amount greater than the assessed valuation of all the personal and real property in the states of Alabama, Louisiana, Florida, Georgia and South Carolina combined......The treasury department during the crop-moving season of 1913, deposited \$37,386,000 in 193 banks in 28 states, for moving the crops. These deposits were repayable in installments, the last coming due April 1, 1914. The total amounts have been repaid and Secretary McAdoo says the government has a profit of \$260,000 on the proposition.... More than 600,000 men are out of work at St. Petersburg, Russia, the government having ordered the closing of the principal factories of the city. A hundred thousand families are destitute...... Nine men were killed by a gas explo-sion in a caisson on the new bridge construction across the Mississippi at Memphis, Tenn., Monday.....Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, president of the Naional Woman's Christian Temperance Union, died at Portland, Me., Monday. .. Dow H. Druker, Republican, was on Tuesday elected to congress from the Seventh district of New Jersey, to

fill out the unexpired term of the late ed in Lancaster now, but the people Congressman Bremner, Democrat. were hard at work. The withdrawal of resident Wilson exerted considerable fort in behalf of Jas. J. O'Byrne, Democrat....Two of a gang of six bandits were killed in a battle with cowboys at New Hazleton, B. C., Tuesday morning, just after the ban-dits had succeeded in holding up a bank cashier and securing \$1,100. Although the women suffragists failed forces and in the last h the Manchester mill of Rock Hill, had to elect a single woman candidate in quite a dangerous adventure with a vi- the Illinois elections Tuesday, they the floor. or the prohibition forces and will put evening. He went into the barnyard as 300 saloons out of business.....The usual, unsuspecting of danger until attacked by the bull. He was knocked greatest winter wheat crop on record placing the indicated 1914 yield at 951,000,000 bushels. tion on April 1, was 95.6, or 11.5 bet-Pushed along by a 63-mile wind, two German army aviators on Tuesday nade the distance from Hanover to Berlin, 160 miles, in one hour.... Jas. A. Gallivan, Democrat, was elect ed to congress from the Twelfth district, Boston, Mass., Tuesday, to fill out the unexpired term of Mayor Jas. J. Curley, of Boston, resigned.....

The sealing steamer Southern Cross with her crew of 173 men, has been Sing Sing.....Senator Theodore E. Burton of Ohio, has announced that candidate ... . Mayor Mitchell has apmissioner of New York city.

- Washington, April 8: Undisguis prospect of finally healing the breach etween the United States and Merritt and Mrs. J. S. Wilkerson, of lombia through the treaty signed at Mrs. Eliza Thomasson Jackson, wife close amicably a bitter controversy, oil flowing into the river. Many shells for the from the Mexican warships Vera Cruz brought on by the secession of Pan-ama in 1903 and the granting to the United States of the canal zone, which has cast a blight on the relations be-tween the United States and all Latin die at any time. Mrs. Jackson, who six months after ratification has ing to sail from here to Tampico with been exchanged between the two 300 troops and near Union church in October, 1842. she has sustained. This is granted in She was married to her husband, Jan. a lump sum and the treaty does not 22, 1865. The deceased was a life long attempt to specify how much of this received here tonight. It caught fire from the shells of the Zarabosa. The of Panama or how much for the loss of the Panama railway rights. she and her husband moved to York- lombia is granted the right to ship ville eleven years ago. Besides her coal, salt and petroleum from her husband, the deceased is survived by through the canal or across the Pan-These articles are not produced along the Pacific side of the country and mountains prevent easy communication overland ugh Colombia. A third article lombia and Panama and restores to the latter a strip of territory which This line is the same as that which was provided in the Cortes-Arosmena treaty between Colombia and Panama, one of the triparte treaties never ratified by Colombia, except that it fixes definitely the point on the Pacific coast where the boundary terminates, which is to be midway between Points Cocalita and Ardita. The Mutsuhito, who died on July 30, 1912. former treaty left this point to be She was born on May 28, 1850, and settled by a tribunal of arbitration to was the daughter of a nobleman, Ichof Yorkville; Loan and Savings Bank be appointed. A treaty, however, be-of Yorkville; National Union Bank of tween Colombia and Panama will be late emperor and was declared em-Rock Hill; People's National Bank of necessary before this boundary set-Pook Hill The bids of the People's tlement is final. The United States husband, passed through the troubled agrees to use its good offices with period of the transformation of Japan at the beginning of Mutsuhito's reticle expresses the hope that friendly gime. She saw him transfer his caprelations between the United States ital from Kioto to Yedo, which was and Colombia may continue from that later renamed Tokyo. time forever.

- Spartanburg, April 8: form on which Dr. John G. Clinkscales, professor of mathematics of Wofford college, will run for governor this summer, was published by him Satur-day. Compulsory education and the two planks on which he lays most simple in her tastes. stress. He advocates measures which which have divided the Democrats of the state into two factions. protection from fire and for domestic slinging. Doctor Clinkscales expresses from an effection of the heart. She use was established Friday in the electure the hope that his opponents will be his died at the imperial villa at the imperial vil of the campaign.

SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS. District Attorney Weston has se-

ected Senator B. W. Crouch, of Saluda, -It is stated that Mayor John P Charleston, is to be a candi-

date for congress from the First district. - J. C. Spivy, merchant and planter

- John E. Jefferys, a well-known citizen of Gaffney, died in the Gaffney hospital last Monday night. He was a kee county, and was in the 53d year o

- In the case of Mrs. Isabella F. Clifon, as adminstratrix of the estate of James Leroy Clifton, deceased vs. the verdict for \$20,000.

- Mattheson's bank, Bennettsville has gone into liquidation, after a few months of existence because it develops that there is no room for it, there being several other banks in the town. The capital stock was only \$10,000. The bank was entirely solvent.

— The Anderson Daily Mail prints a Washington dispatch to the effect that the war department has revoked the place for the annual militia encampnent and that the matter is now the air with strong renewed hope for - Mr. John O. Darby, supervisor of

Chester county, died at his home Chester, last Monday night, aged years. Mr. Darby was a Confederate veteran, and has been held in high esteem among his people all his life. In addition to his wife, who was Miss Sallie Jones, he is survived by the follow-ing children: Mr. William A. Darby; Mr. John G. Darby of Lewisville, Ga.; Mrs. Davis Anderson; Mr. Jones Darby; Mr. C. E. Darby; Mr. Graham Darby, Mr. Theodore Darby and Miss Azu-

-Mrs. Susan Memminger died at St. Joseph Infirmary in Atlanta, last Tuesday, aged 71 years. She had been living with her son Dr. W. W. Mem-minger, rector of All Saints church. Before her marriage she was Miss Su-san Mazyic, a descendant of the origi-nal Hugenot settlers of Charleston. She was the mother of seven sons, of whom five survive. They are Dr. W. W. Memminger, of Atlanta; H. E. Memminger and C. G. Memminger, of Florida, Judge R. W. Memminger, of Florida, Judge R. W. Memminger, of Charleston and Lucien Memminger, American consul at Rouen, France.

- Greenville, April 7: A unique case is on trial in common pleas court, the estate of the late James P. Medlin suestate of the late James F. Medin suing the county for damages to the extent of \$5,000. It is alleged that Medlin's death resulted from injuries sustained when his wagon turned over on the Cox bridge road sometime ago and throwing a load of brick on his body, fracturing his skull and otherwise mutilating his body. The condition of the road at the point where the accident occurred, is charged with the man's leath, and the executor of the estate in suing on behalf of the widow and chil-

- Columbia special of April 8, to the Greenville News: Representative C. N. Sapp of Lancaster county, while here today confirmed the report that he would not be in the race for congress in the fifth district against Mr. Finley, but would probably stand for the state senate from Lancaster. Mr. Sapp said no politics were being talk-Mr. Sapp leaves the race in the fifth district between Congressman D. E. Finley and Representative W. F. Stevenson. While here Representative Sapp called in at the office of Governor Blease and talked with the chief executive for some time. Mr. Sapp is one of the lieutenants of the Blease several of the administration fights on

Greenville News: Nothing is known at the office of the adjutant general here over the reported reconsideration by the war department of its decision order for the holding of these maneuvers in the vicinity was issued under date of April 1st and that order is in the hands of Adjutant General Moo When told of printed reports in the up-country to the effect that Green-ville was interested in securing this encampment and that the war departthe maneuvers at Charleston and the matter is again open, the adjutant general said he had not heard of the matter before. There is considerable nterest among the National Guard relative to this matter. No stock is aken in reports that a fight on Char leston has been started by national guard officers in Columbia. No indications of any such movement have been seen here.

- Vera Cruz, April 9: The American consulate has received word from the onsular agents at Tuxpam that grave rumors are current there that Tampico as fallen. While there is no confirmation of this, it is known that there ederals and rebels around that port. The British steamer Leesdale, from New York, March 13, which is now at l'ampico, has been unable to discharg her cargo and asked permission by wireless to come here. Later reports wireless to come here. from Tampico say the Mexican gun-boats are successfully defending the town, but are doing much damage by Bogota yesterday. If this convention is ratified by the two countries, as officials are confident it will be, it will be a missible a pricable a pricable a bitter of the control of the c and Zarogosa have fallen near the American war vessels in the river. The tween the United States and all Latin America. Substantial details of the treaty became known here today. The principal article provides for the details of the troughout the country have been or-The principal article provides for the payment to Colombia of \$25,000,000, most. The gunboat Bravo is preparcountries, as indemnity for the losses warehouse of the Aguila Oil company vas destroyed in the fighting at Tam pico, according to a wireless dispatch is reported to be enveloped in smoke from the burning oil tanks. General Maas, commander at Vera Cruz has received an urgent call for the Bravo and Annunciation. Mayo, in a report filed at 10 o'clock this morning from Tampico, says the fighting continued but that the advance of the rebels was checked by the strong fire from the Zaragosa and Vera Cruz. One of the oil tanks was burning at the time. Sixty American women were on board the United States warships and the German cruiser Dresden had gone further up river to rescue others. The battleship Utah left here for Tampico tonight. Norman Lind, son of John Lind, was or board.

The Dowager Empress of Japan died at the imperial villa at Namazu, yesterday. The Dowager Empress Haruko was the widow of Emperor with curious interest the opening of the country to foreign commerce, its departure from old world customs and its adoption of western civilization. She awaited in the imperial palace news of the Japanese armies at war. first with China and then with Rus sia, and saw the complete evolution of over court functions with great digniwill lead to the development of the natural resources of South Carolina and deplores the bitterness and prejulation of the contact with Americans or Euroly Japanese she occasionally returne He promises to avoid personalities in to the picturesque costume of her his campaign and declares he would youth. The dowager empress was enter the race if he thought it greatly affected by the death of Mutwould be necessary to engage in mud- suhito, suffering for many month a watering place near Yok